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Serial No.: 09/966,703

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Respectfully submitted,

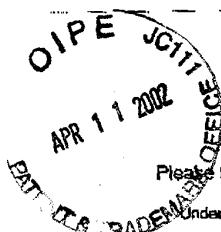
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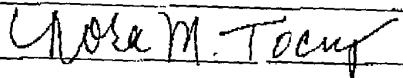
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101 740	201 370	Utility filing fee	
108 330	206 165	Design filing fee	
107 510	207 255	Plant filing fee	
108 740	208 370	Reissue filing fee	
114 180	214 80	Provisional filing fee	
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		-20 **	= 0	= 0
		-3 **	= 0	= 0

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103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20	
102 84	202 42	Independent claims in excess of 3	
104 280	204 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
109 84	209 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
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	139	130	139 130 Non-English specification	
	147	2,520	147 2,520 For filing a request for reexamination	
	112	920*	112 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
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	115	110	215 55 Extension for reply within first month	
	116	400	215 200 Extension for reply within second month	
	117	920	217 480 Extension for reply within third month	
	118	1,440	218 720 Extension for reply within fourth month	
	128	1,980	226 580 Extension for reply within fifth month	
	119	320	219 160 Notice of Appeal	
	120	320	220 160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
	121	280	221 140 Request for oral hearing	
	138	1,510	138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
	140	110	240 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
	141	1,280	241 840 Petition to revive - unintentional	
	142	1,280	242 640 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
	143	450	243 230 Design issue fee	
	144	620	244 310 Plant issue fee	
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	145	740	246 370 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.125(a))	
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